

COATS, \$8.00.

generous arrangements,
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Broadcloth, Bolivia,
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tered ourselves after the Barbary
ar, after Cuba, was in the national
character. But for some mysterious
ason we seem to be on the side of
the butcher, the ravisher, the spoiler,
this case. Well, in spite of what
Government does or fails to do,
we may rejoice that those who in the
past are our allies are gloriously
trying forward the banners of civil-
ization in the East.—Boston Trans-
cript.

Don't Worry!

Worry is an insidious disease. The
aggard eye, the wild gleam, the
awn, seamed, savage, ashen face,
but the outward symbols of a
struggle going on within.
Under the pressure of that struggle,
unless checked by over-mastering
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Stafford's Prescription "A" is the
st preparation you can take to help
u get over that worrying. It aids
gestion and tones up the whole gen-
eral system, and makes you feel a
ew person. Try a bottle. Price
all size, 30c.; postage, 5c. extra.
Large size, 60c.; postage, 10c. extra.
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DR. F. STAFFORD & SON,
Wholesale & Retail Chemists and
Druggists,
St. John's, Newfoundland.
Manufacturers of
STAFFORD'S LIVINENT,
STAFFORD'S PRESCRIPTION "A",
STAFFORD'S PHORATONE COUGH
AND COLD CURE.

Skirts claim buttons as trimming.
A unique string of beads is an ad-
vantage adjunct to a severe frock.
Some charming neck chains are
made and finished with bead tassels.
A broad-brimmed hat with a curb
trich edge is peculiarly becoming.

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Rim, Top and
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FROM THE BIG Of Best Values THIS STORE HAS FRIDAY, SAT.

COME! LOOK AROUND and
SEE WHAT'S DOING.

PAISLEY QUILT COTTONS

Here is an item to interest quilt makers,
a few pieces of Paisley Quilt Cottons go on
our bargain counters this week; they are
this year's importation and at last year's
sale price. Friday, Saturday and 27c
Monday, the yard

BALL FRINGES—

We have just opened
a lot of this, some
pretty mixtures show-
ing Pink, White and
Green; others Crimson
and Green, Gold and
White, and a lot in
shades in Pale Blue,
Cardinal and Green,
pretty fringes for many
purposes. Special for
Friday, Saturday and
Monday. The 7c



Are You Looking for Some Pretty Chintz Coverings?

If so, it would pay you to give those we offer this week
a look over. They come in a goodly assortment of pat-
terns, 35 inches wide. Chintz that you can wash and re-
wash; the material is there to stand any amount of wear.
Value for 65c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **47c**

Battenburg Lace Table Cloths.

Large size Table Covers in Batten-
burg, pretty fern leaf pattern,
circular shape. A cloth like this
would make a pretty gift by and by.
We have just a dozen to hand. Special
for Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.85**

Stamped Centrepieces.

Pretty designs, easy to work,
on good White Canvas Cloth.
This has a perfect surface; the
centre is large and one you
can find use for every day.
Special each Friday, Saturday
and Monday **19c**

2 Special Values in Pillow Cases.

PLAIN PILLOW CASES—Just plain White
Cotton Pillow Cases, in a standard size,
good weavers, here for a special price.
Value for 40c. each. Friday, Saturday and
Monday **35c**

PILLOW CASES—Just 3 dozen of these,
old stock, extra good quality English
linen, with double hemstitched border, full
size, we match these with any you may
see elsewhere for 80c. each. Fri-
day, Saturday and Monday **65c**

Cut Prices to Help Those outfitting Boys for Fall Season.

BOYS' JERSEY SUITS—These are
heavily lined inside, fine Jersey rib-
bed finish, buttoned at shoulder, shades
of Navy, Sage, Brown and Crimson.
Just the suit for the little fellows at
home or out doors. Regular for \$2.50
value at 32c. each. Friday, Saturday and
Monday **\$2.00 to \$2.50**

BOYS' AMERICAN TWEED SUITS—
Come and see the neat styles of these
Juvenile Suits. Cuffed Sleeves, Coat,
open knee pants, lined throughout,
mostly dark check patterns; sizes to
fit boys from 3 to 8 years. Regular
\$6.50 suit. Friday, Saturday and
Monday **\$6.50**

BOYS' TWEED PANTS—Strong wear-
ing Tweed Pants, in open knee style,
sizes to fit boys from 10 to 15 years;
these pants are lined throughout, 2
pockets, and offer good value at
\$2.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and
Monday **\$2.38**

BOYS' TWEED REEFERS—Smart
looking American cut Reefers for
boys, splendid style for fall wear,
double breasted in light, medium and
dark mixtures, suitable for Sunday
wear or school wear; to fit boys 2
to 8 years. Reg. to \$5.40. **\$4.95**
Fri, Sat. and Monday

**JOB LINE OF BOYS' COAT SWEAT-
ERS**—Here is just the little garment
for him to wear under his jacket,
a snug fitting knitted Coat Sweater in
grey shade, v neck, 2 side pockets,
assorted sizes. Reg. 80c. Fri-
day, Saturday and Monday **65c**

FELT FOOTWEAR.

WOMEN'S FELT BOOTS—Laced style, with Dongola vamps
and felt tops; comfort shape medium heel; size
4 to 8; half sizes. Friday, Sat. & Monday **\$2.85**

MEN'S FELT BOWERS—Warmly lined Black Felt Bowers House
Slippers, with leather soles and heels. Know the comfort
of a pair at home. Special pair, Friday, **\$2.30**
Saturday and Monday

CHILDREN'S FELT SHOES—Sizes 1 1/2 to 6 in warm Grey Felt
House Shoes. Chamolite leather soles, painted throughout.
There is a long season ahead for wearing these. Reg. **79c**
90c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday



GATHERING-IN From Abroad CHOSEN THE FOLLOWING and MONDAY.

SAVING PRICES ABOUND
IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

Ladies & Gentlemen!

in conjunction with our presentation
of UNPARALLELED VALUES for
Friday, Saturday and Monday

WE wish to announce the complete-
ness and the vastness of our Fall
Stocks for 1918.

Every department is crammed to the
utmost, from basement to roof, not
an inch of stock space to spare. Of
course this meant for us an immense
outlay of ready cash, but we were out
for values and we got them, sure.

This Store is Better Prepared
Than Ever to Serve You Well.



Take in
This
Sale of
QUILTS

HONEYCOMB QUILTS—30 only large
size, heavy White Honeycomb
Quilts, with fringed edge. These
are all last season's value. We want
space badly and must move this at
a clearance figure. Regular \$3.90.
Monday **\$3.45**

MANTEL DRAPERY—A couple of
pieces of plain crimson and green
Mantel Drapery, a little braiding re-
leaves it in simple pattern, pinked
edge, medium width. Regular 25c.
Friday, Saturday and Mon-
day **18c**

CLOTHES' CLOTHES—White Linen
Cloths, size 24 x 34, uncommon
looking, with fast blue embroder-
ing; a cloth that will give you last-
ing wear; wide hemstitched border.
Reg. \$1.75. Friday, Sat-
urday and Monday **\$1.59**

WHITE QUILTS—The "Prem-
ier" Quilt is Marselles patterned,
and offers particularly
good value; comes in a
goodly size, plain stitched
hem; great variety of pat-
terns. Ask to see them. Val-
ue for \$3.00 each. **\$2.65**
Fri, Sat. & Mon. **\$2.65**

UNBLEACHED TOWELS—
Large size Unbleached Tow-
els resembling the honeycomb
make; a most serviceable
towel about the house. We
are offering these at the old
price. Reg. 25c. each. **23c**
Friday, Sat. & Mon. **23c**

36-INCH HUCK TOWELING—
Note the extra width of splen-
did wearing Huck Toweling,
pure White, a yard of which
gives you a towel that will
stand any wear. Special
Friday, Saturday and
Monday, per yard **33c**

OUR NEW ALL-WOOL COATINGS

ARE SHOWING TO-DAY
Plain and mixed shades, extra good quality. If you contem-
plate having a warm woolly coat made up for winter wear, give
these a look over at once. Prices range from \$5.00 to \$6.50 the
yard.

SCOTCH WINCES FOR UNDERWEAR AND NIGHT SHIRTS, ETC.—
38 inches wide, and offered to you at their old prices; best quality.
Come and see them, suitable for Ladies' and Children's Underwear,
Nightdresses, Men's and Boys' Top Shirts; warm material, washes
well and always good wearing.
Reg. 65c. yard, Friday, **59c** | Reg. 85c. yard, Friday, **78c**
Saturday & Monday

WATCHES! --- WATCHES!

BOYPROFF
And That's Saying Something.
Here is a watch that you can rely on, in
a solid case, snap back and face, Gun Metal
finish; you have a boy at home who would
appreciate one. Special, Fri-
day, Saturday and Monday **\$1.50**

**LADIES AND GENTS'
Chamois GLOVES**
LADIES' CHAMOIS GLOVES—A glove fit
to be chosen for fall wear, reliable Cham-
olite make in White and Natural, a very
serviceable glove as it washes new.
Reg. \$2.30. Friday, Saturday
and Monday **\$2.10**

WASHABLE CHAMOIS GLOVES—We are
clearing the last of these. Just a few
dozen or so, a glove we recommend for
driving or for general wear, re-inforced
thumb, plain wrist and washable, natural
chamois shade, per pair, Friday,
Saturday and Monday **55c**

MEN'S WEAR.

MEN'S UMBRELLAS—Don't be with-
out one of your friends' showers days;
these have turned handles, all wood,
good fast black covering, strong rigid
frame. Reg. \$1.80. Fri-
day, Saturday & Monday **\$1.70**

AMERICAN SWEATWEAR—Don't miss
this opportunity in Neckwear, as it
offers you an immense variety of be-
coming patterns in almost every
wanted shade, the long flowing end
style of course the popular style to-
day. Reg. 40c. value. Fri-
day, Saturday and Monday **32c**

KNAIK SHIRTS—A nice soft shirt in
Woolleth Flannel, twill finish, double
stitched seams, not a heavy, cumber-
some shirt, perfect fitting sizes, col-
lar and pocket; good value at \$2.50.
Friday, Saturday and **\$2.35**
Monday

MEN'S TWEED PANTS—Heavy English
Tweed pants for the working man;
these are a few dozen pairs left over
from last season. Reg. \$4.70 pair.
Friday, Saturday & Mon-
day **\$4.40**

MEN'S BOOTS—In Satein Calf, a good
wearing quality for fall; these offer
extra good value in a medium priced
boot. Reg. \$4.30. Fri-
day, Saturday and Monday **\$4.00**

These SHOW-ROOM VALUES Are Worthy of Your Earliest Inspection.



LADIES' and MISSES' TAMS—Do-
coming Tams in Cord velvets,
and others in plain velvet, cord
and tassel crown, shades of
Rose, Sage, Navy, Canary, Green,
Grey, Brown and Black. Reg.
90c. Friday, Saturday &
Monday **78c**

CORNET COVERS—In that fine
Jersey ribbed make, very suit-
able for fall wear, high neck,
long sleeves, buttoned front;
size 24 and 28 inch bust. Good
Saturday and Monday **64c**

FEATHER TRIMMING (By the
yard)—The very latest for Mil-
linery purposes, edging hats and
so forth. Fashionable shades of
Lavender, Mustard, Sky Pink,
Black and White. Reg. 30c. yard.
Friday, Saturday and
Monday **26c**

LADIES' PYJAMAS—We would like you to come and see these slum-
ber-time garments; shades of Pink, Sky and White; round neck,
long sleeves; very fashionable. They come in assorted sizes.
Special Sale Price for first showing Friday, Saturday
and Monday **\$2.67**

CHILDREN'S WOOL SWEATERS—
Real comfortable Wool Sweaters,
buttoned front, pocket, Crimson
and Sage, shades, most to fit
from 4 to 8 years. A little gar-
ment they need for immediate
wear. Reg. \$1.60.
Friday, Sat. & Mon. **\$1.49**

MERCERIZED SILK SCARVES—
These are always fashionable
specialty at this season; each
scarf four and a half feet long,
silk fringed at ends, plain Grey
and mixed White and Black and
White and Grey. Value for \$1.70.
Friday, Saturday &
Monday **\$1.49**

CHILDREN'S COMBINATIONS—
True-fitting Jersey ribbed Com-
binations for children from 6 to
12 years, suitable for girls or
boys, long sleeves and ankle
length. Fall weight. Reg. \$1.55
suit. Friday, Satur-
day and Monday **\$1.45**

A Collar Specialty!

75c values for 29c

29c. Never before brought such values in
stylish Collars. Immense variety of Sailor
Collars, Roll Collars, Collars with Yest, Col-
lards and Cuffs in wets, very dainty; some in
Silk Crepe, others in Velle, Not, Pique, and
urday and Monday **29c**

INFANTS' BIBS—Made of good quality
soft finish Brilliant, with lace edging;
value for 80c. Friday, Saturday
and Monday **16c**



\$5 Silk BLOUSES Special \$3.98.

Some special values in JOB Silk Blouses
for shoppers here this week. High and low
neck styles, long sleeves; some with hem-
stitched trim in front, others pretty roll-
collar, revers trimmed with crochet and pearl
buttons; shades of Tan, Sky, Sage, Pink,
Niger Brown and White. Blouses for every
occasion. Reg. to \$5.00, each. **\$3.98**
Fri, Sat. and Monday

GINGHAM APRONS—For Misses, some
pretty Check Gingham Aprons, shirred
at waist and strapped over shoulders;
real serviceable aprons; good value at
their regular price, 90c. Friday,
Saturday and Monday **76c**



Men's Soft Felts.

Jauenty shapes that men like in Soft Felts.
Shades of Green, Brown, Khaki and Grey, wide
corded silk bands, the hat you want for Fall
wear. Special Sale Price, Friday, Saturday
and Monday **\$4.25**



"Blue Puttee's" Turned Down.

The deputation of "Blue Puttee"
boys, accompanied by Minister of
Militia Bennett, and Hon. R. A.
Squires, interviewed the Governor
yesterday, presenting their petition,
Hon. R. A. Squires attended, as a re-
presentative of the Opposition, to give
it his support. After reading the pe-
tition, His Excellency said that he
had been in conference with the Act-
ing Prime Minister, Hon. M. P. Cash-
in, and that he and his Ministers were
of the opinion that the prayer of the
petition should not be granted. His
Excellency then asked Mr. Bennett if
he had any opinion to express. Mr.
Bennett replied that as leave of ab-
sence had been secured for the men
by him after considerable trouble, he
was in sympathy with the petition;
however, he was not prepared to ad-
vise the Governor to ask for any fur-
ther leave of absence. The Governor
then asked Mr. Squires if he had any
arguments to express, or any argu-
ments to bring forward. Mr. Squires
replied that as His Excellency had al-
ready come to a decision, it would be
useless for him to say anything. The
Governor's formal answer to the pe-
tition is given below:

**FORMAL REPLY OF HIS EXCEL-
LENCY,**
Government House,
St. John's, Nfld.,
Oct. 3, 1918.

Sir,—I am desirous by His Excel-
lency the Governor to confirm briefly
the reply which he gave to the petition
from certain residents of the Domi-
on of Newfoundland which you pre-
sented on behalf of certain members
of the Newfoundland Regiment, being
part of the first five hundred who re-
sponded to the call for service in Oct.
1914.

His Excellency greatly regrets that
he cannot accede to the prayer of a
petition which, as he realized by per-
sonal perusal of each sheet of signa-
tures, expresses a general desire of
a large part of the community. He
however, considers it absolutely im-
posed to the interest of Newfoundland
and the Royal Newfoundland Regi-
ment, that he should on this occasion
make an appeal to the Army Council
for further leave to those members of
the Regiment who enlisted during the
first two years of the war. Any such
appeal would be a breach of the faith
on which the Army Council sent back
a considerable number of men for a
period of rest to their own country. It
would inevitably react, not only upon
the Regiment itself, but upon other re-
giments raised in the British Empire
which have also borne the greatest
burden and greatest heat of the day.
His Excellency's Ministers are quite in
accord with this view.

The Governor has, however, ar-
ranged with the Minister of Militia
to examine any special cases of abso-
lute necessity with a view to telegraphing about
it to the Home Government.

It is further recognized that this
petition raised the question, which
demands consideration in regard to
every unit, of replacing as soon as
possible those men who after a pro-
longed period of active service are re-
tired or worn out that they are not
equal to the strain which they took at
first. The Governor will address a
despatch to the Secretary of State on
this subject by the outgoing mail, but
meanwhile it is the duty of those men
whose leave is expired to return to the
United Kingdom as soon as required.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your
obedient servant,
H. KNOX-NIVEN, Lieut.-Col.,
Private Secretary,
Pte. Bernard Murphy,
266 Water Street, St. John's.

Exports for Sept.

From Outports.
To Oporto, 16,924 qtls. dry fish; to
Gibraltar, 22,225 qtls. dry fish; to
Canada, 4,085 qtls. Total, 43,237
qtls. Also, to United States, 21,225 qtls.
salt bulk fish.

From St. John's.
To Brazil, 7,530 qtls. dry fish; to
Europe, 34,474 qtls.; to West In-
dies, 1,631 qtls.; to United States, 191 1/2
qtls. Total, 43,888.

Also, to France, 13,850 qtls. salt
bulk fish; to United States, 1,577 qtls.
Total, 15,427.
And 419 1/2 tons cod oil, 699 1/2 tons
seal oil, 35,500 lbs. stearine, 133 casks
cod fish 68 barrels cod roes, 6,750 1/2
barrels herring, 50 barrels turbot, 47
barrels caplin, 701 cases lobsters, 1
case salmon, 4 tierces salmon, 1,050
seal skins, 15,550 gals. cod liver oil.

Comparative Statement Fish Exports.
Dry Fish.
1918—87,124 qtls. 1917—146,781
qtls.; decrease, 59,657 qtls.

Pickled Fish.
1918—36,652 qtls.; 1917—31,806
qtls.; increase, 4,846 qtls.

W.P.A Xmas Gift Fund.

FOR OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

MISS MACKAY'S LIST.
Amount acknowledged . . . \$114.37
Mrs. H. Emerson 5.00
Miss Douglas Bruce 5.00
Mrs. H. E. Knight 5.00
The Wednesday Work Party . . . 20.00
E. M. 5.00
Alastair 5.00
Anthony and Elizabeth Good-
ridge 5.00
Mrs. J. A. CURR 10.00
Mrs. R. B. Job 5.00
"Arundel" 5.00
\$181.37

GUESTS AT BALSAM PLACE—

Capt. John Parsons, Bay Roberts;
Capt. J. Pettie, Fortune Bay; R. F.
Hollitt, Burlin; Miss Janet King, For-
tune; John Maddock, Carbonara; W.
M. Bruce, New York; F. Penney, Car-
bonara; M. J. Hearn, Colliers.